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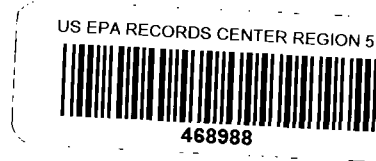
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Re: Albion-Sheridan Township Landfill
Albion College

Dear Mr. Mason:

Our client Albion College is one of the parties who received a special notice in connection with the Albion-Sheridan Township Landfill site. After the meeting in Chicago June 25, I spoke with Barbara Wester by telephone on July 10 and July 12, informing her of Albion College's willingness to enter into negotiations about its alleged liability at the Albion site. In those conversations she acknowledged the agency's willingness to approach Albion College as a de micromis PRP, as earlier expressed in the notice letter.

I understand that Ms. Wester is now on leave, and that you will be handling the agency's dealings with PRPs.

As I left matters with Ms. Wester, she planned to review the liability materials, arrive at a proposed settlement figure, and draft a settlement document. She indicated that would take several weeks. I am not concerned, therefore, that I have not heard about those things, but my impression is that her leave began somewhat earlier than expected, and I wanted to make sure that you were aware of those telephone conferences and of Albion College's willingness to negotiate with the agency. Your confirmation would be welcome.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "David G. Moore".

David G. Moore

DGM/ms
cc: Dale R. Dopp